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WELDING ELECTRODE AND DEVICE FOR

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Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 or 37 C.F.R. § 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application.

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The undersigned hereby declares that Attorney Docket No. 10400-000147/US

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on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration corresponds to Appl. No. 10/528,063 filed March 15, 2005 entitled "WELDING ELECTRODE AND DEVICE FOR ITS MANUFACTURE." English language specification, claims, and Abstract with) sheets of drawings. Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27. Attached is a copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/905. X Attached is a copy of a Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment, filed 冈 concurrently under separate cover No extension fee is required because the undersigned has filed the documents 冈 within the allotted time given by the Notification of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905). However, if for some reason it is determined that an extension of time is necessary, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. () month(s) extension of Applicant(s) hereby respectfully petitions for time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$0.00 is attached hereto. The Government Filing Surcharge in the amount of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.494 and 1.492 was previously paid for concurrently with the filing of the application on March 15, 2005. Submitted concurrently herewith under separate cover for recording is an \boxtimes Assignment. A Fee of \$0.00 to cover the increase in fees of the filing Surcharge is enclosed.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/15/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/15/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 03/15/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/15/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/15/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/15/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 03/15/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/15/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/15/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION. WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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